

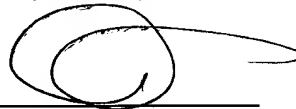
REMARKS

The Examiner has issued an Official Action stating that claims 1-13, 24-34 and 65-86 are rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness type double patenting as being unpatentable over the claims of co-pending application 09/507,371.

Applicants respectfully traverse this rejection.

The claims in this application have been limited to R¹ and R² forming a phenyl group. The claims in U.S. Patent application 09/507,371 do not include the possibility of R¹ and R² forming a phenyl group. Therefore, applicants submit that the obviousness type double patenting rejection should be withdrawn and that this application be passed to issue.

Respectfully submitted,



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